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Mr. Vernon A. Williams Secretary Surface Transportation Board Washington, D.C. 20423

Dear Mr. Williams:

Enclosed for recordation pursuant to the provisions of 49 U.S.C. Section 11301(a) are two (2) copies of a Memorandum of Security Agreement, dated as of September 30, 2005, a primary document as defined in the Board's Rules for the Recordation of Documents.

The names and addresses of the parties to the enclosed document are:

Debtor:

Smith Railroad Company, Inc.

2001 Kenilworth Avenue

Capital Heights, Maryland 20743

Secured Party:

United Bank

Two Bethesda Metro Center

Suite 1500

Bethesda, Maryland 20814

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A description of the railroad equipment covered by the enclosed document is:

50 railcars: 30 within the series HRLX 2001 - HRLX 2073 and 20 within the series HRRC 2009 - HRRC 2074, each as more particularly set forth in the equipment schedule attached to the document.

A short summary of the document to appear in the index is:

Memorandum of Security Agreement.

Also enclosed is a check in the amount of \$33.00 payable to the order of the Surface Transportation Board covering the required recordation fee.

Kindly return stamped copies of the enclosed document to the undersigned.

Very truly yours,

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MEMORANDUM OF SECURITY AGREEMENT

dated as of September 30, 2005,

by and between

SMITH RAILROAD COMPANY, INC. as Debtor

and

UNITED BANK as Secured Party

FILED WITH THE SURFACE TRANSPORTATION BOARD PURSUANT TO 49 U.S.C. § 11301 on October ____, 2005, at __:___.m.

MEMORANDUM OF SECURITY AGREEMENT

THIS MEMORANDUM OF SECURITY AGREEMENT is made and entered into as of September 30, 2005, by and between UNITED BANK, its successors and assigns ("Secured Party"), and SMITH RAILROAD COMPANY, INC., its successors and assigns ("Borrower"), with reference to the following:

1. Secured Party has agreed to make a loan to Borrower, and Borrower has agreed to give Secured Party a security interest in those certain rail cars described on Schedule A attached hereto.

All of such rail cars are more fully described in that certain Loan and Security Agreement dated July 8, 2004, among the Borrower, Joseph Smith & Sons, Inc. ("JSSI") and the Secured Party, as amended by that certain First Amendment to Loan and Security Agreement effective July 8, 2004, among the Borrower, JSSI and the Secured Party, as further amended by that certain Second Amendment to Loan and Security Agreement dated November 22, 2004, among the Borrower, JSSI and the Secured Party, as further amended by that certain Third Amendment to Loan and Security Agreement dated September 30, 2005, among the Borrower, JSSI, R. Paul Smith and the Secured Party (together with all of the riders, schedules, other attachments, amendments or modifications thereto, collectively, the "Security Agreement").

2. The Third Amendment to the Loan and Security Agreement shall be effective as of the date hereof and shall be subject to the terms specified in the Security Agreement.

This Memorandum of Security Agreement may be executed in any number of counterparts, each executed counterpart constituting an original but all together only one Memorandum of Security Agreement.

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto have caused this Memorandum of Security Agreement to be duly executed as of the date first above written.

UNITED BANK

Name: Accept Cherry Chest Title: Exect, For Oce For chest
SMITH RAILROAD COMPANY, INC.
By:
Name:

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto have caused this Memorandum of Security Agreement to be duly executed as of the date first above written.

UNITED BANK

By:	
Name:	
Title: _	
SMITH	RAILROAD COMPANY, INC.
By:	I lust mill
Name:	R. Paul Smith
Title:	President

STATE OF _	Mary and:			
COUNTY O	Montgeren:	SS:		
undersigned, Seph Bank, and th	REBY CERTIFY THAT of a Notary Public of the South who acknowled the he/she, as such officer, the purposes therein contained	State and County ged himself/herself being authorized so	September, 2005, before the aforesaid, personally appeared to be the of United to do, executed the foregoing	3 1 1 3
IN WI	TNESS WHEREOF, I hereun	to set my hand and o	official seal.	
[Seal] My Commiss	ion Expires:	Notary Public	DAVID FERER, II Notary Public State of Maryland Montgomery County My commission exp. July 1, 2008	
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IN W	ITNESS WHEREOF, I hereun	to set my hand and	official seal.	
[Seal]				
		Notary Public		

My Commission Expires:

STATE OF :	001
COUNTY OF :	SS:
undersigned, a Notary Public of the , who acknowle	on thisday of September, 2005, before the State and County aforesaid, personally appeared edged himself/herself to be the of United being authorized so to do, executed the foregoing ned.
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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I hereu	into set my hand and official seal.
[Seal]	Notary Public
My Commission Expires:	

NOTARY PUBLIC STATE OF MARYLAND My Commission Expires November 20, 2006

SCHEDULE A TO MEMORANDUM OF SECURITY AGREEMENT

DESCRIPTION OF RAILCARS AND REPORTING MARKS

DESCRIPTION	CAR MARK	CAR NOS.
Railcars	HRLX	2001, 2002, 2007, 2008, 2012, 2014, 2016, 2018, 2022, 2023, 2026, 2030, 2031, 2039, 2040, 2043, 2045, 2046, 2047, 2049, 2055, 2060, 2062, 2063, 2064, 2065, 2067, 2070, 2072, 2073
Railcars	HRRC	2009, 2010, 2015, 2017, 2020, 2021, 2024, 2025, 2027, 2028, 2034, 2036, 2044, 2053, 2056, 2066, 2068, 2069, 2071, 2074